

TABLE 2-24
ACCIDENTAL (UNINTENTIONAL INJURY) DEATHS BY YEAR AMONG RESIDENTS OF PIMA COUNTY,
ARIZONA, 1995-2005

	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Unintentional injury	346	320	339	327	378	425	415	421	428	442	498
Railway accidents	2	2	4	2	1	2	1	0	2	4	1
Motor vehicle-related accidents	148	130	129	119	131	128	116	143	129	144	157
Water transport accidents	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Accidents involving aircraft	3	2	1	2	0	4	1	5	3	0	2
Poisoning by drugs/medicaments	59	74	66	82	99	*NA	113	119	138	131	142
Poisoning by gases and vapors	6	6	3	5	3	1	5	2	5	1	2
Falls	63	59	89	69	91	75	82	73	84	97	121
Fire, flames, smoke	3	3	6	7	8	3	4	7	8	3	5
Excessive natural heat	14	3	3	4	3	3	5	8	8	4	5
Excessive natural cold	0	0	0	2	1	2	4	2	2	4	1
Contact with venomous snakes and lizards	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Contact with venomous spiders	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Contact with scorpions	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Contact with hornets, wasps, bees	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bitten or struck by dog	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1
Lightning	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Storms and floods	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Accidental drowning and submersion	15	9	4	13	9	12	11	8	7	11	12
Choked on food	2	5	7	3	6	10	0	3	8	8	5
Choked on other objects	4	3	0	2	3	4	3	9	6	4	7
Mechanical suffocation	4	2	3	1	6	5	14	4	4	3	1
Accidental discharge of firearms	3	2	4	2	0	3	*NA	8	0	2	3
Exposure to electric current	0	2	1	0	0	4	1	0	0	1	0
Overexertion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Adverse effects of drugs in therapeutic use	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Misadventures to patients during medical/surgical care	5	2	2	4	6	5	9	5	8	15	5

* See Technical Notes.